GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:547
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BRINGING BACK ASHES OF PRITHVIRAJ CHAUHAN
RAMDAS ATHAWALE

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to bring back ashes of Prithviraj Chauhan, the great historical figure, from Afghanistan;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the steps taken so far in this regard.

Answer

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS(SHRI JASWANT SINGH)

(a) No Sir. There is no evidence available with the Government which could establish that the mortal remains of Samrat Prithviraj Chauhan are buried in Afghanistan.

(b) Question does not arise.

(c) Question does not arise.